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FROM EMBASSY DOHA

EO 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINT ENRG QA

SUBJ: GOQ DIRECTOR OF PETROLEUM AFFAIRS WILL SPEND YEAR AT  
OXFORD

1. DIRECTOR OF PETROLEUM AFFAIRS ALI JAIDAH TOLD EMBOFF SEPT  
14 THAT HE WILL LEAVE QATAR EARLY OCTOBER FOR ONE YEAR COURSE  
AT OXFORD. STUDIES WILL CENTER ON POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC  
DEVELOPMENTS IN GULF.

2. JAIDAH, WHO RECEIVED AN M.A. FROM LONDON SCHOOL OF  
ECONOMICS AND IS QUITE SOPHISTICATED BY QATARI STANDARDS,  
DID NOT SEEM UPSET AT THE PROSPECT OF ANOTHER YEAR IN ENGLAND.  
HE SAID HE DID NOT KNOW WHO WOULD REPLACE HIM BUT EXPECTED IT  
WOULD BE ABDULLAH SALLAT, NOW DEPUTY DIRECTOR.

3. COMMENT: AT THIS POINT, IT IS NOT POSSIBLE TO SAY WHETHER  
JAIDAH IS BEING GROOMED FOR A HIGHER POSITION IN THE GOVERN-  
MENT OR IS SIMPLY BEING REMOVED FROM THE POWER STRUCTURE.  
HE APPEARS TO BE SOMEWHAT OUT OF FAVOR HERE (KUWAIT 3529),  
AND THIS COULD BE THE AMIR'S WAY OF EASING HIM OUT OF THE  
PICTURE.  
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